



LONELY ISLAND . . . Press-Herald columnist Larry Macaray, off on the first leg of an around-the-world trip, sent along this aerial view of Wake Island. Macaray made an unscheduled stop on Wake Island enroute to Japan. He describes his impressions of the lonely island in today's "Let's Go" column.

... Let's Go

By LARRY MACARY

WAKE ISLAND—When one thinks about a vacationland or an interesting place to visit—he doesn't think of this place. Its historical significance during World War II and the "jillion" TV re-runs of Brian Donlevy in "Wake Island" really put this place on the map! It is so small you can't believe it until you see it.

No, we didn't stop here on purpose. Our BOAC flight from Honolulu to Tokyo had to re-fuel due to complicated matters involving general construction on the Honolulu runways that forced us to use shorter runways—thereby allowing us a smaller gas load, etc. Anyway we stopped. I had flown over the island before and had blinked my eyes as we passed over it, so this 15-minute stop was just enough to to look the island over and write a card home to the folks.

A "Wake Island" cancellation stamp on a postcard isn't the easiest thing in the world to go out and get. I'm anxious to see if it reaches the States faster or slower than the last card I sent from Paris—only took about three weeks by air mail. I made the mistake of mailing it in a postbox attached to the wall of a building. Maybe the man responsible for emptying the box was ill for three weeks!

THE TEMPERATURE upon landing was 82 degrees but it seemed more like 100 degrees. One large building for the airport office with a waiting room, restrooms, and an 8-by-8 gift and novelty shop. There are a few sailors around—a few Navy cargo plans and a couple of Military Aircraft Command planes. Also noted a few "skeletons" of cargo planes that apparently didn't quite make the airstrip.

Incidentally, the airstrip covers the width of the island. There are a few scattered trees and surely no wildlife of any kind would be around. It really looks like the end of nowhere. What a place to be stationed. You couldn't walk in your sleep for fear of drowning—you couldn't walk while you're awake without running into someone.

Oh yes, there is a small, partly paved road that weaves around part of the island. It is difficult to explain that the road doesn't go around the island because of the peculiar shape of the island—trying to describe the road and where it goes reminds me of the old gag punchline in answer to "How do you get there?" And the answer is "You can't get there from here!"

EVEN THE BIRDS were not to be seen anywhere. They probably have long since given up the idea of living here. Even a bird would have to be lost or a fugitive in order to settle down on Wake Island. Then, too, there would always be the danger of being swallowed or sucked into the jet engines of the cargo planes or an occasional stray airliner.

Who gets stationed in a place like this? As unattractive as anyplace anywhere. A serviceman should get "boredom pay" in order to serve on Wake. Perhaps that is why there was a really riske set

Jaycees To Seat Officers

Ralph Grippo will be installed Saturday as the new president of the Torrance Junior Chamber of Commerce. The installation will be held at the Tasman Sea Restaurant in San Pedro.

Grippo, who resides at 23039 Cerise Ave. with his wife, Sallie, and three daughters, has lived in Torrance for seven years. He is a plan check supervisor for the Los Angeles City Building Department.

Assisting Grippo during the coming year will be Hal Lundborg, state director; Leon Taylor, internal vice president; Jim Clauson, external vice president; Ian Godbold, secretary; John Brubaker, treasurer; and area directors Marsh West, Phil Sheaffer, Don Woodward, Mike Zappitelli, Jim Strumfer, and Marty Lewis.

"This year, Torrance will awaken to the community activities of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. We will show the businessmen of Torrance where it would benefit young men in their employ to join our group of future leaders," Grippo said.



DR. WILLIAM HARLESS To Tour England

El Camino Executive Plans Tour

Dr. William Harless, vice president of instruction at El Camino College prior to his retirement last Friday, will leave shortly for two years in England.

Dr. Harless and his wife, Thora, will spend two years at a mission of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints near London.

He has served as vice president of El Camino College since coming here from Eastern Arizona Junior College. His career at El Camino spans 15 years.



SAFE BOATING WEEK . . . In a resolution adopted Tuesday by the County Board of Supervisors, this week was made Safe Boating Week. Supervisor Burton W. Chace presents a copy of that order to Rear Admiral Thomas R. Sargent III, Commandant, 11th Coast Guard, left. Also attending the ceremony at the Hall of Administration were Sande Nielson, Miss Marina Del Rey, and Preston Foster, Honorary Commodore, USCG, at right.

Sir Loin Has New, Old Owner

Sam Morris has acquired full ownership of the Sir Loin Meat Shoppe, it has been announced here. Morris was one of the original partners who opened the shop three years ago.

Morris said he intends to maintain the same high quality and service which has earned Sir Loin high regard throughout the Torrance and South Bay areas.

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